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OIL KING'S METHODS ARE CALLED VICIOUS

Science Convention Hears Attack on Corporations.

CONDEMNED AS A PERIL

Rockefeller Finds Champion Who Replies to Assault.

· Logan G. McPherson Says Magnate Has Done Much Good, and That Despite His Millions He Is Really a Poor Man-Cannot Afford Luxury of Oysters at His Table-Basis for Rate-making Also Criticised.

New York, Dec. 27 .- That John D. Rockefeller unjustly holds his great wealth estimated to be the largest for tune in the world, because it is not the result of natural causes, but created through the activity of corporations, all of which he calls "vicious," was the assertion made this afternoon by Henry Laurens Call, of Washington, D. C., a writer of economics, at the fifty-seventh annual meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

"Rockefeller is the greatest exponen of corporation competition as against in dividual competition," said Mr. Call. "His millions have come to him only because he controls corporations. The concentration of wealth into such fortunes as his own divides industrial society into two classes-the enormously rich and the miserably poor.

"We are a nation of debtors as a result of the growth of the corporation; the public and private mortgages aggregating \$30,000,000,000, or \$375 per capita

Corporation a Vicious Institution. "The corporation is a monstrosity, and the wealth of Rockefeller and other enormously wealthy men is the product of this vicious institution. To conquer the wealth-concentrating corporation the public utilities and natural resources must be taken from the hands of great corporations. Corporations must become co-operative to remedy existing conditions.

"To-day a bare I per cent of our population owns practically 99 per cent of the all the United States, and their combined fortunes, including the half-millionaires, did not exceed probably \$100,000,000, or 1

McPherson Defends Rockefeller, Logan G. McPherson, assistant to the

late Samuel Spencer, as president of the Southern Railway, spoke after Mr. Call. He gave several anecdotes regarding Mr. Rockefeller, saying that, although he is much criticised, he has really done great good. Years ago, he said, a man employed on a cousin's farm in Illinois was approached by a stranger who wanted aid farmer recognized the ambitious stranger attempted to kill himself.

"Mr Rockefeller told him" said Mr himself condemned for raising the price of | fore they had time to interfere. 'I built that pipe line to make oil cheaper and I succeeded. I cut the cost more than half. And yet they find

Rockefellers Really Poor Folks. "Why," said Mr. McPherson, "in that bleak house down there in West Fiftyfourth street they are very economicalvery close. The Rockefellers are really poor. Just to show you how poor: Some relatives of mine were recently at dinner there, and in the course of conversation Mrs. Rockefeller remarked: 'We are very fond of oysters, but we cannot afford to have them. We are too poor.'

"You must understand that a man may be worth \$100,000,000 or \$1,000,000,000, but he has to keep his factories and refineries going and may not have ready cash. John D. Rockefeller is poorer in the to borrow \$25,000 for his pipe line.'

Rate-making Basis Attacked.

John B. Daish, of Washington, D. C., viewed the methods used by the Supreme voted exactly as it stood. Court of the United States and the varirect or inaccurate. He said that "the debated to-morrow afternoon. difficulties in the matter seem to be the unwarranted assumptions, legal fictions, as it were, within which there might be gle or as a schedule, to be unreasonably low on the one hand, or extortionate on

In conclusion he said: "The assumption that the future quaninter and intra State traffic will not be near Galveston, Tex. materially different; the assumption that carrier's property, the amount of tonnage porters. it will transport, the fair rate of return the arbitrary rule that all parts of the road cost the same to operate per unit; equally arbitrary rule that the rate of return ought to be the same for all roads and branches of roads; that the unit of per ton-mile is a safe and equitathe 8,000 articles in numerous classes; all commodities; that the haul on intertraffic, and finally, but by no means un- fore the assault was noticed. til proven correct we cannot hope to as cost of transportation to the carrier by discovered. any of the methods considered, or one hereafter to be devised."

Woman Burned to Death. Woodbury, N. J., Dec. 27.-Mrs. P. P. Abbott was burned to death here to-day in a fire that destroyed the home of her son-in-law, Lewis P. Starr, prosecutor of in Hungarian politics. He was reputed to the Pleas of Camden County. The fire be worth \$10,000,000. He bequeathed a was started by children, who were trying number of valuable pictures, bronzes, &c. to light candles on a Christmas tree.

Baltimore and Return, \$1.25.

WEATHER FORECAST.

For the District of Columbia and Maryland-Rain to-day; tomorrow unsettled, possibly rain; light to fresh southwesterly winds.

HERALD NEWS SUMMARY.

TELEGRAPHIC, 1-Yaqui Indians Kill-Twenty. 1-Educator Defends Race Suicide 1-Riot Inquiry Opens at Brownsville. 1-Rockefeller Scored Before Scientists. 1-Wadsworths "Out" with President. -Murphy Dominates Tammany.

3-Mrs. Trautman Set Free. 3-Indictments Against Insurance Men. 5-Millions in Dividends to Be Paid. 7-Murder Ends Revel in Virginia. 7-Spite Fence Feud in Baltimore

1-Georgetown Gets Cheaper Gas. 2-Dr. Guinness Visits City. 2-New Currency Plan. 2-President Safe in Virginia 2-War Against New York Cotton Ex-

10-Purer Milk Now Promised. 10-Cardozo Will Get Early Trial. 10-Extra Counsel in Waggaman Case.

RIOT INQUIRY BEGINS

Special Representatives of President at Brownsville.

TAKE TESTIMONY IN SECRET

Four Witnesses Appear Before the Given to Roosevelt Direct.

Brownsville, Tex., Dec. 27,-Four witoath, behind closed doors. The commission consists of Assistant United States mittee on Agriculture. Attorney Prudy, Maj. A. P. Blocksom, of the Inspector General's office, and W. W. Mischler, confidential law clerk to Secrenation's wealth. Fifty years ago there tary Taft. The testimony is all taken were not more than fifty millionaires in down in shorthand, and will be transcribed for the President's use. The commission was in session all day, with the cent of the aggregate national exception of a short interval for

> The court-martial of Maj. Penrose and Capt. Macklin has been postponed to July 4. Four residents of Brownsyille have been subpoenaed as witnesses.

SHOOTS WIFE AND HIMSELF.

Chicago Grocer's Suggestion

for oil. He got no help there, but in later him by the gas route, Emil Breitenfeld, have been eliminated as a possibility for years the two men met again and the a grocer, shot the woman to-night and re-election

Breitenfeld had already been arrested,

Mrs. Breitenfeld recently began suit for a divorce. Her husband had not seen her powerful enemies, and, at the same for several days, but entered their store to-night with the suggestion that they commit suicide together. The woman instantly refused, and Breitenfeld drew a revolver.

His wife screamed and the two blue coats, who were passing, rushed into the store and seized the crazed man, but failed to take his revolver, which he it would be far better that death should thrust into his pocket,

NEW RELIGIOUS BILL READY.

Senate Will Debate on Measure as Prepared by Separation Committee.

Paris, Dec. 27.-The separation commit bleak house on West Fifty-fourth street ister Combes has been elected a member, than he was when, as a young man, he went to a farmer at Macon, Ill., and tried M. Briand, minister of public worship, appeared before the committee and evplained the measure. He repeated that the bill was absolutely necessary, owing addressed the Social Science section of to Rome's attitude. Mr. Combes said that the association on the subject of the modifications could possibly be proposed, "Methods of ascertaining the cost of but under the present circumstances speed transportation" this morning. He re- was essential, and the text should be

M. Lecomte read the committee's re ous State railroad commissions, all of port to the Senate, which voted urgency which, according to the speaker, are incor- for the measure, which will, therefore, be

HALF MILLION TO AID JEWS.

such a variation as to cause rates, sin- Jacob Schiff Will Assist Russian Ex-

iles to Come to America. London, Dec. 27 .- The Jewish World to day announces that Israel Zangwill, the noted novelist and Zionist leader, is heading a scheme to send many families of tity of traffic will remain the same; the persecuted Russian Jews to America. A I shall object to the purchase on any assumption that the average haul of both colony for these exiles will be established

According to the Jewish World, Jacob operating expenses for a particular year Schiff has promised half a million dollars are reasonable; the assumption of what for carrying out the scheme. Baron shall constitute fair valuation of the Rothschild is also one of its active sup-

NEGRO SOLDIER BEATS WOMAN.

Lynching Parties Are Out and Fear Innocent Men Will Suffer.

El Reno, Okla., Dec. 27.-Hundreds of ble one; that any unit ought to apply to men are searching to-night for a negro that terminal expenses are the same for Mrs. r. S. Clifford, wife of a physician, traffic costs the same as on local and otherwise brutally attacked her be-

important, that the carrier will give us Mrs. Clifford was on her way to the correct figures. These assumptions, hereto- Rock Island station when she was knocked down by the negro. As men approached the miscreant fled to the freight certain to a mathematical certainty the station, and up to midnight has not been

A dozen lynching parties have been or ganized, and it is now feared that inno-

Count Eugen Zichy Is Dead. Vienna, Dec. 27.-Count Eugen Zichy is dead. He was for a long time prominent

to the city of Budapest. \$1.25 to Baltimore and Return Baltimore & Ohio R. R.

Every Saturday and Sunday. All trains, both ways, both days, except Royal Limited. City offices, 1417 G st. and 619 Pa. ave.

BRYAN STILL RUNNING.

WADSWORTH AND Nebraskan Confesses Nomination PRESIDENT AT ODDS

Son May Lose His Place as Speaker of Assembly.

in New York Politics.

Roosevelt Blamed for Defeat of James W., Sr., and Result May Have Effect on Caucus to Be Held in Albany January 2-State Senator Steven® Is Angry at Treatment Which Has Been Accorded Him.

New York, Dec. 27.-The Wadsworths, James W., sr., and James W., jr., the ormer defeated for re-election to Coness in the Thirty-fourth district o ection day by 6,000 plurality, and the atter re-elected assemblyman for Liv ingston county by 1,800 plurality, are out" with President Roosevelt, accord ing to reports. Representative Wads worth, it is stated, has not visited the Vhite House since his defeat, and Asemblyman Wadsworth has also abtained from his usual visits.

The story about the Wadsworths was RACE SUICIDE NOT A PERIL old by Republicans, who say that unles here is a change somewhere Assembly nan Wadsworth's re-election as speaker the Assembly may be jeopardized, Republican friends of Speaker Wads-Committee, but as Investigation Is worth at the Holland House said that in Private Their Testimony Has they did not believe anything of the kind, Not Been Made Public, but Will Be and they were ready to bet pumpkins to cookies that "Young Jim" would b named for speaker at the assembly caueus to be held in Albany on January 2.

The Republicans who told the story about the Wadsworths and their alleged esses were examined to-day by special differences with President Roosevelt, said representatives of President Roosevelt, that Representative Wadsworth blames sent here to investigate the alleged raid President Roosevelt for his defeat. He of the negro soldiers on the town last is said to lay his defeat directly to his August. The investigation is private, the controversy with President Roosevelt witnesses being examined singly, under over the meat inspection bill, Mr. Wadsworth being chairman of the House Com-

Stevens a Probable Cause.

Other Republicans said that Mr. Wads worth's defeat for Congress was due quite as much to himself in another way, and also to dissatisfaction with the Senate apportionment which eliminated Frederick C. Stevens from the Forty-sixth Senate district for no other reason than that Mr. Wadsworth believed that Senator Stevens might at some time turn up as a dangerous candidate for the Congressional nomination

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Burled Bodies of I

A veteran in the group at the Fifth Avenue Hotel to-night said "Young Jimmy Wadsworth should not but wrenched himself from the clutches take up his father's fight; neither should of two policemen and fired both shots be- Old Jim permit 'Young Jim' to do so. I fall. I have been compelled to make many as I am grateful to know, I have won the

friendship of many good men. Must Not Take Part.

"I have a son myself, and I have told him frequently that he must not under iny circumstances assume my quarrels. I have told him that I am quite competen to take care of myself, and that even if I should die with many quarrels unsettled, settle these quarrels than for him to ac-

cept them as a heritage. "So, as I say, no father should ever enourage, his son in taking up with quarels which the 'old man,' justly or unustly, has been compelled to make. I do not believe 'Young Jim' Wadsworth's attitude toward the President since election day will hurt him as a candidate for his holiday vacation in a vigorous canre-election as speaker.

Senator Stevens, it was stated, is still so angry at the Wadsworths that he believes

COLER CHARGES BLACKMAIL.

Brooklyn Editor Will Begin Legal Proceedings as Result.

New York, Dec. 27 .- Borough Presilent Bird S. Coler at a meeting of the Heights Hotel board to-day publicly ccused George F. Dobson, managing editor of the Brooklyn Eagle, of having Grande Railway. plackmailed him. The local board was liscussing the proposition to acquire ertain property at the foot of Remsen legislative caucus, which has been called street and Grace court for a public

Borough President Coler was called on for his opinion. He said: "I have no objection to the purchase if proper terms are made with the owners. But chased the Prentice property will re sell to the city at the price they paid with interest, I shall agree to let the

ecommending its purchase. "I will be frank, Mr. Dobson of the property, and not only in that, but in number of others. He has publicly lackmailed the president of borough. If you want it out, there

When Mr. Dobson heard of the state ment made by Mr. Coler concerning himself, he instructed his counsel, Samuel S. Whitehouse, to begin legal

\$25,000 Fire in New York,

street to-night. The loss was \$25,000. Veteran Commits Suicide. Greenville, Pa., Dec. 27.-Ira Moore, prominent farmer and veteran of the civil war, committed suicide by putting a load of shot through his body to-day. Ill

health was the cause for the act Typhold Fever Still Spreading. Scranton, Pa., Dec. 27.-The new typhoid fever cases reported during the past twenty-four hours number thirty-seven, failure. making the total number reported during

A la Carte Lunch Served Daily at Eckstein's from 12 to 3. 1412 N. Y. ave.

December 652.

WASHINGTON, D. C., FRIDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1906.

MEXICAN INDIANS

Yaquis Again Take to the

Warpath Near Border.

at One Station.

ncluding several Americans, have been jurdered by Yaqui Indians in Mexico

within the last few days. News of the

The first massacre took place last Satur-

day afternoon, at Lancho, a small station

near the United States boundary, on the

ananea, Yaqui and Pacific Railway. Col.

S. B. Maxson, vice president of the Na-

tional Irrigation Congress, brought the

news. His train stopped an hour at

Lancho. While there rumors were re-

path and that the few people in the

neighborhood of the station and railroad

belittled the report and said he and his

train bearing Col. Maxson and party had

not left the station more than a hour

when the Yaquis descended on the little

Four Persons Killed.

Station Agent Thompson and his wife

NEW YORK HOTELS RUSHED.

Tables for New Year's Day Are Al-

ready at a Big Premium.

New York, Dec. 27 .- Celebrants of the

rants and hotels in New York will have

Cafe Martin has had all its tables en-

Council to Quit the Experiment.

of this city have petitioned the select

ouncil to advertise for bids for light-

the municipal plant until a private corporation can make arrangements

the city for taking over the

The municipal service is so poor that

safe on the streets at night, owing to

the frequency with which the lamps are out. The municipal plant has been

run at a loss of from \$4,000 to \$5,000

Gone With Funds of Union.

Terre Haute, Ind., Dec. 27.-William

earning if Stinson got more than the sum

Belgrade Fears Outbreaks.

Belgrade, Dec. 28.-King Peter has rati-

Floral Decorations for the Table.

for several years.

thousand guests.

The station master, named Thomps

wife would remain at their post.

party of Mexicans and Americans.

peared the Indians withdrew.

tracks.

American Is Wiped Out.

illings reached here to-day.

were in danger,

for Presidency Is High Honor. Topeka, Kans., Dec. 27.-In an interview o-day, William J. Bryan virtually admitted that he would be a candidate for the Presidential nomination before the next Democratic national convention. "While I have not yet announced that would be a candidate," said Mr. Bryan 'I have not stated that I would not be

andidate. Such a high honor as the Presidential nomination is something that "YOUNG JIM" IN DANGER DEAD LIST NOW TWENTY no American citizen should decline." Mr. Bryan said there was no foundation for the report that, if nominated, he would favor the selection of Senator Quarrel of the Father Taken Up William J. Stone, of Missouri, as chair-Band of Whites Repulses Attack man of the national committee.

RUSSIAN CONSUL SHOT DEAD.

Czar's Envoy at Liverpool Mysteriously Slain in His Bed. Liverpool, Eng., Dec. 27.-The Russian consul here, Col. De Geimann, was found dead in bed from a pistol shot wound

Whether he was murdered or com mitted suicide had not been determined. It is said, however, that he had no cause to take his own life.

WANTS BETTER RACE

Chicago Educator Takes Issue with the President.

Supt. Bodine Says It Would Prove a National Blessing to Some Classes of People-Large Families Shown to Tend to Misery and Social Harm, Making Truants.

national peril race suicide would be a national blessing to some classes of the escaped by boarding a work train that

er's Association. "Large families, the result of inconprolific of much misery and social harm. continued to a station about fifteen miles drives many husbands to drink and de- alarming, the party decided to return. children. The mother is forced to work, and when it arrived the station house had

and the State "We cannot change human nature. We have the childless home among the rich and the homeless child among the poor.
Modern individualism has the right to Modern individualism has the right to Indians appeared in the distance, but did govern its own domestic affairs. Some not come within range of the guns of the

SIMON GUGGENHEIM WINS OUT

have passed a very tempestuous life this Bonynge Withdraws from Colorado Senatorial Race.

> Makes Announcement Before His Departure for Washington-Retirement Leaves Clear Field.

Denver, Col., Dec. 27.-The last vestige of opposition to the election of Simon Guggenheim to succeed T. M. Patterson in the United States Senate disappeared to-night when Congressman R. W. Bonynge left for Washington after announcing his withdrawal from the Sena-

advent of New Year in the big restau-Mr. Bonynge was Mr. Guggenheim's to dig down deep for the privilege this most formidable opponent and has spent vass of the legislature and among party leaders. He said before leaving that he found the sentiment for Guggenheim so will spend from \$3 to \$5. nearly unanimous that he had given up all idea of having his name mentioned gaged for over two months, and the in the Republican caucus next Monday head waiter has been offered \$50 for a

table. In addition to the guarantee, it The other Republicans who heard the has been officially posted in many resbuzz of the Senatorial bee abandoned all hope some weeks ago. These include C. Hamelin, of Colorado Springs, and Joel F. Valle, who was the late Senator local attorney for the Denver and Rio

Mr. Guggenheim will undoubtedly be the unanimous choice of the Republican for next Monday night.

CHRISTMAS GIFT IS FATAL.

Boy Killed in First Scrimmage with His New Football.

York, Dec. 27 .- Very proud of football he had won in a Christmas raffle, Richard Batterby, ten years old, of 618 Henderson street, Jersey City, was made proposition go through. If not, I shall captain of a football team this morning, never affix my signature to a report and he was killed in the first rush with the new ball.

He was crushed by his playmates on Eagle is interested in the Prentice the ball, which he was valiantly trying to advance against the opposing team. The old woman who keeps the candy store in which the little fellow won the ich-coveted prize, is almost beside herself with grief, because she feels that she

A crowd of enthusiastic boys met in acant lot at Sixteenth and Grove streets Richard was the liveliest of them all. ve can do!" he shouted, when the team was lined up.

New York, Dec. 27.—Fire of an un-known origin gutted the upper floors of down under a great pile of struggling taken. the buildings 136-140 West Twenty-third boys. Then all except Richard got up for the next play. He lay still, clinging Another Jail Breaker Caught. tightly to the ball. His playmates rolled him over, and began to scream when Cincinnati, Ohio, Dec. 27.-Hugh G. Gastright, thirty-eight years old, expert forger and check-worker, who was one of A doctor hurried to the scene, He the nine prisoners who escaped from the county jail last Saturday, was recapmade a short examination, and then said

tured to-night by the police Rishon A. Coke Smith Dead. Asheville, N. C., Dec. 27.-Bishop A coke Smith, of the Southern Methodist Church, whose home is in Norfolk, Va

against the measure continues, and outdied suddenly here to-night of heart breaks are feared to-night. A big antioan demonstration has been arranged The Portland Cafe, Thomas Circle, Serves the finest of table d'hote dinners daily, from 6 to 8, for \$1. Lunch, 12:30 to 2 75c. Breakfast, 7:30 to 10, 75c.

SANE NEW YEAR FOR CHICAGO.

Mayor Dunne Will Put on "Lid" After Five Minutes of Noise. KILL AMERICANS Chicago, Dec. 27 .- Mayor Dunne has anounced that "the usual idiotically noisy greeting Chicago has so long given

to the New Year will not be permitted this Railroad, factory, and steamboat mana-gers have been notified that whistle-blow-ing must be limited to five minutes, instead of thirty as heretofore. Yelling, horn-biowing, and the discharge of fire-arms are to be followed by the offender's

The mayor says he ting in the interest of citizens who want to sleep, and of the sick and nervous "who suffer riously from the usual demonstrations.'

LYNCHERS GET THREE

Reported Slayers of Marshal at

Lamar Among Those Executed. Massacres, Which Cover Wide Dis-Los Animas, Colo., Dec. 27.-Masked trict, Begun Saturday, and Fighten suddenly surrounded the jail to ing Continued Several Days-Raid night, overpowered the sheriff, secured Near Valencia in Which Entire his keys, and lynched Lawrence Leberg, who murdered a farmer near here Tues Party of Eleven Mexicans and One

It is rumored here that two men who killed the city marshal of Lamar last night in cold blood were caught to-Los Angeles, Dec. 27.-Twenty persons, night and lynched.

Rules Tammany Committee Meeting with Iron Hand.

ceived that the Yaquis were on the war- A NEW ANTI-HEARST FIGHT

Brooklyn Report Is That Hill and McCarren Have Organized to Eliminate New York Editor from Politics-Combination to Make Overtures to Tammany Leader.

phy demonstrated to-night in pretty conclusive fashion that he is the absolute people,' said Superintendent W. L. Bo- pulled in at the time. The train arrived master of the present Tammany organdine, of the compulsory education de- after four persons had been killed, and ization. Not only did he run things to partment of the Chicago schools, in an Thompson and his wife had defended suit himself at the meeting of the execuaddress to day before the State Teach- themselves back of the barricaded doors live and general committees to reorganof the station. As the work train apallow any of the McClellan men elected entirely completed, but I felt that by the siderate and improvident marriages, are The train bearing Col. Maxson and party at the last primaries to sit on the new end of the year 1997 it would be finished, "Fate decrees that small incomes al- farther along the line, and then, as the lution adopted with whoops of joy exost always go with large families. This signs of the Indian uprising became more pressing the organization's high appreciation of his political sagacity and wise sertion. Truant husbands make truant The train started back toward Lancho, leadership in the last campaign.

This resolution was passed by the new and the children are raised for the street been burned and four bodies lay along the general committee, and was offered by make the reduction to take effect on

Alleges Anti-Hearst Combines. article to the effect that David Bennett lighting, which was accomplished on Sep-

Hill and Senator Patrick Henry McCar- tember 29 of the present year, when, in Chicago Grocer's Suggestion

Of Double Suicide Is Rejected.

Chicago, Dec. 27.—Because his wife had refused a proposition to end her life with vestigating commission he should not of education."

The was stated, have been impressed with the belief that Senations of gressional district, it was stated, have been impressed with the belief that Senations of the growth of the should be nominated either for child slavery, eaused by parenthood that raises children as human commodities, and whose ambition is production instead by the Georgetown company.

The bodies of the victims were still been impressed with the belief that Senations of the victims were still deal of others on the victims were still deal of others on the train, they were says in effect that Mr. Hill is to be the buried. Not many miles farther along buried. Not many miles farther along buried. Not many miles farther along the production instead buried. Not many miles farther along buried. Not many miles farther along buried. The bodies of the victims were still deal of others on the train, they were succeed.

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> ttle band at this station had been able cratic chief below the Bronx. to repel the attack of the Yaquis. The It is furthermore stated in the article ment of bills. Within our territory in hy living members of the colony re-that Chairman William J. Connors, of the new suburban section our patrons fused to leave on the train, but said they could stand off the Indians until the Democratic State committee, has reare widely separated, making it much next day, when the rurales would arrive gretted his alliance with Mr. Hearst, that more expensive to serve them than in the The second massacre is related in a the Democratic committeemen appointed closely populated portions of the city ispatch telling of a raid by a hundred to try Senator McCarren on the charge proper. We believe, however, that this Yaquis near Valencia, sixty miles below of "knifing Hearst" will at its meeting reduction will result in increased sale for Guaymas. An entire party of eleven Mexicans and one American was wiped on January 3, or later, whitewash Sena- lighting purposes, but more particularly tor McCarren; that Charles F. Murphy, in the use of gas for fuel in the suburban The Mexican government to-day hastily of Tammany, can come into the combina- districts." gathered troops and rurales at both the tion if he wants to, and, finally, that the The present output of the Georgetown widely separated points to pursue the appointment by Comptroller-elect Martin Gaslight Company, according to Mr.

Mr. McCabe to Senator McCarren. year. So great has been the demand for Hill and Senator McCarren. For that pany will not lose mone whatever in the reported new Democratic | consumed after December 22, at combination.

Story Creates Interest.

taurants that after 10 o'clock nothing but night by Democrats at the Hoffman not, the price charged will be \$1.25. House, that Mr. Hill on several occasions The Hotel Astor expects to serve six of late has talked down this way with It has always been claimed by the gas important Democrats concerning the sit- experts and the managers of the two pation in the State. From all that could gas companies that it costs more to make gas in Georgetown than in Washington, CITY OWNERSHIP A FAILURE. about "eliminating William R. Hearst," by reason of conditions peculiar to Georgetown, rather than because of any Easton Business Men Appeal to the lieve that Mr. Hearst's defeat on election difference in prices of materials, such as day, coupled as it was with the election coal, oil, or water, or in wages of em-Easton, Pa., Dec. 27.—Disgusted with the continued poor service given by the of the entire State Democratic ticket, is a ployes or salaries of managers. So well municipal street lighting plant, sixty of the leading men and business firms

him to recover. nounce that Charles A. Waish, formerly Congress has formally recognized it in secretary of the Democratic National legislation, fixing prices of gas to con-Committee, who resigned several months sumers. In the act which fixes present ago to enter Mr. Hearst's employ, was prices, Congress provided that after July actively at work in that State in an effort to eventually secure the delegates for the city of Washington should be not to women and children are not considered Mr. Hearst in the Democratic national exceed \$1 per 1,000 cubic feet, and from

MANIAC FLAGS ALL TRAINS.

tempt to Capture Him.

Chicago, Dec. 27.-For six hours last night a maniac run the switchyards at Stinson, vice president of the Indiana Cavanaugh, Ind., a junction point where branch of the United Mine Workers of the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern America, has disappeared, and with him tracks cross those of the Elgin, Joliet and urged for charging higher prices for has gone \$1,600 of the order's money in

Eastern Railroad. checks and money orders. Experts are now at work on the books with a view to house, flagged every passenger and freight which he is certainly known to have train that came along, and with a coupling Company. But in a letter to the Dispin put to flight every train crew that trict Commissioners in 1889, Mr. John

made a protest. It was necessary to send a special train Gaslight Company, assigned another from Hammond with a score of deputy sheriffs to overpower the maniac.

Killed When Car Hits Truck.

New York, Dec. 27.-In a collision be- gas by the United States government and tween a north-bound car and a truck the government of the District of Cofilled with homeward-bound laborers, at lumbia. The service is more expensive White Plains avenue and 233d street this evening, Sciazarino Monsone was killed larger consumption. led the loan bill. The popular ferment and three others were seriously injured.

Florida and the South. The "Southern's Palm Limited," via Southern Railway, resumes service Jan-uary 7, 1907; Pullman's finest equipment brilliantly electric lighted. Leave Wash-Most artistic effects. Shaffer, 14th and I.

GEORGETOWN NOW GETS DOLLAR GAS

Cost of Manufacture Greater Than in Washington.

BABCOCK GIVEN CREDIT

Corresponding Cut by Parent Plant Not Yet in Sight.

Consumers Make Remarkable Claim That Their Gas Bills Keep Going Up Regardless of Regulation of Rates by Congress-Governmental Control Under the War Department Suggested by United States Senator.

For years Georgetown has uniformly paid 25 per cent more for gas than is charged in Washington. Congress accepted the statement that the cost of manufacture and distribution was greater and the profit less there than in the city proper. The Georgetown Gaslight Company has now voluntarily reduced its rate to \$1 per 1,000 feet.

The Georgetown Gaslight Company has reduced the price of its gas to consumers from \$1.25 to \$1 per thousand. This was done after a conference with Joseph W. Babcock, of Wisconsin, chairman of the Committee on the District of Columbia. The change went into effect on December 22, and the January gas bills will be payable at the new rate.

W. Riley Deeble, president of the Georgetown Gaslight Company, when asked about this change, said:

"Ever since my election, in December 1904, as president of the company, it has been my intention to bring about a reduction in the price of gas for the people of Georgetown at the earliest possible moment. With that end in view, I have, with the hearty co-operation of the directors, expended a large sum in remodeling the plant and in the extension which fact would enable me to carry out

"Upon receiving Mr. Babcock's request for earlier relief, I at once called the directors together, and it was decided to little Tim Sullivan. It was taken as an January 1, 1907, upon all bills payable acknowledgment by the Sullivans of February 1. It has been the constant aim of the present management to please patrons and improve the service, as is The Brooklyn Citizen to-right printed an evidenced by the improvement in street ren were practically the heads of a new response to a request from the company,

of Albany, to be the | Expensive There, Says Mr. Deeble, more dead bodies of Mexicans and Amer-cans were found along the tracks. The Senator McCarren to be the big Demo-further cared for by establishing at convenient places branch offices for the pay-

> H. Glynn of Thomas F. Wogan, of Brook- Deeble, is about 275,000 feet per day. He lyn, to be a transfer tax appraiser indi- says that no water gas at all is used, cated the friendliness of McGlynn and and that the coal used costs more Mr. McCabe to Senator McCarren.
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> less than one-half of 1 per cent of the on matters affecting the new combina- customers that the Washington company tion. The Brooklyn Citizen is a regular has. He is not quite sure how the com-Democratic newspaper, and for many pany is going to come out on furnishing years has enjoyed the confidence of Mr. gas so cheaply, but hopes that the com-

tables in hotels and restaurants, that reason the story has kicked up a fuss Company go out to customers on Satur-The bills of the Georgetown Gaslight tickets of admission have been issued, among the Democrats in New York, not-which are guarantees that each person withstanding the fact that Senator Mc-will bear on their face a statement, im-Carren insists that there was no truth printed with a rubber stamp, that all gas time the last meter reading was had, will be charged for at the rate of \$1, pro-Story Creates Interest.

It is known, and was so admitted towithin ten days after being rendered. If

> View of Gas Experts, blow from which it will be difficult for established has been this conviction of a fair and honest difference in the cost of Yet the dispatches from Indiana an- production between the two places, that 1, 1901, the price of gas to consumers in

> > 1.10 and \$1.35. The same disparity exsted in the prices fixed by similar acts f Congress prior to the adoption of the existing law.

the same date the price to the people of

Georgetown should be \$1.25. Prior to

July 1, 1901, the prices were respectively

Price Higher in Georgetown One of the conditions which the managers of the Georgetown company have street lamps in Georgetown is the fact He gained possession of the tower- that they supply a smaller population as compared with the Washington Gaslight Leetch, then president of the Georgetown reason. He said: "The service in Georgetown is an expensive one. We have only about 440 street lamps, and receive no henefit from the large consumption of than in a larger city where there is a Leetch stated precisely the true and just reasons for maintaining a higher price Georgetown than could be demanded in Washington. At any rate, the District

> Congress listened to the argument, and CONTINUED ON THERD PAGE